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NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA, DECEMBER 10, 1887.

NO. 47.

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But to THE PALACE send your way.
Times are hard and money tight,
So now we are all in the fight.

One among us must fall down,
While the other wears the crown.
Blessings on you now we bring,
While the conflict has its swing.

Off 'tis said prices are high,
And to save money hither fly.
"Hither" means THE PALACE store,
Where you bought so cheap before.

They still have a mammoth stock,
Others try our ways to mock;
But withal at last they yield,
While we still maintain the field.

Split in prices, piles that's true,
Still we have one left for you.
Call and see, give us a trial,
We will warrant the latest style.

Now dear friends in town and out,
Do not worry, fret and pout.
But simply do as we now say,
We'll save you money, so come this way.

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Of truth and fiction you know well,
Remember us THE PALACE store,
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WALLACE.
Several Wallaces got stormed in at the Platte last week and did not reach home until Monday night.

A gentleman from Holyoke has purchased several hundred tons of hay along the Willow and is baling and shipping it to points west.

Mr. Williams of the firm of Williams & Summers, furniture and hardware dealers, let the contract of their new building yesterday to Bailor. They are to be constructed on securing Mr. B. as he is one of the finest mechanics in the State.

Mr. Cary is visiting with his son-in-law, J. H. Todd. He likes this country very well, so well that he intends to move here in the spring.

Frank Woods has received the appointment of postmaster and we hope to soon have a postoffice here.

C. H. Jacobson has returned from his Iowa trip. He reports a pleasant visit.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather Set. night the literary was postponed until next Saturday at which time the question of corporal punishment will be discussed by our ablest speakers.

Nation and Bailor have begun the erection of a building on their lot 22x50 which when completed will make a fine business room.

AGRICOLA.

November 30th, 1887.

We understand that the owners of the Circle W Ranch have been notified by the land office to vacate, that it may be taken by actual settlers. Cowboys and ranchmen are fast passing into legend in Nebraska.

Grant Enterprise.

Workmen arrived at Brule yesterday, and will erect the building necessary for boarding the workmen who will be employed on the new bridge, and who are expected to arrive in a few days. A large quantity of material is already on the ground, and the work of hauling the piles into the river is commenced, and as soon as the pile driver arrives work will be pushed forward with dispatch. It is expected the bridge will be completed early in January.—Ogallala News.

The coal supply at this place gave out last Friday, and Gothenburg can now sympathize with her neighboring villages. The coal dealers say that they have standing orders out for coal and they are awaiting the pleasure of the railroad for transportation. When the railroads go out of the coal business the supply will perhaps become more plentiful. There were a number of teams in town Monday for coal and some of them from a distance, and to be compelled to make a second trip in cold weather is no laughing matter.—Gothenburg Independent.

One of the saddest and most shocking accidents we ever chronicled occurred at the residence of Mr. Reed, on last Sunday evening, which resulted in the death of Clara, the bright little daughter, and favorite of all who knew her. It appears that the child's clothing caught fire during the temporary absence of the rest of the family. The little one was first seen running from the house towards her brother who was only a few rods distant, and who ran to her and removed the burning clothing, but to late to save her. She was burned to a crisp, except her face and head. She suffered untold agony until 11 o'clock that night when death relieved her. The neighbors were greatly shocked when it was fully realized. The funeral was preached by Father Correl, on Monday at 2 o'clock p. m., and was largely attended.—New Callaway Courier.

There is not much sense discussing the county seat question, but if Mr. Morlan, the B. & M. railroad attorney, retained to conduct the contest of the election in Curtis precinct, is correctly reported he said: "There is no doubt but that the old location, near the mouth of Mitchell creek, is the county seat of Frontier county. Stockville stole the county seat by refusing to allow the records to be moved." It should be remembered that the late contest was really more a fight between Stockville and the B. & M. railroad, than between Stockville and Curtis. The polling of over 500 fraudulent votes became and was possible only by the aid and effort of the B. & M. railroad. In this connection, the Fiber predicts that none of the election officers by whose connivance and infidelity these frauds were perpetrated will be punished.—Stockville Fiber.

Several years since the combination of the safe containing the records in the county clerk's office failed to perform as it should, and as it was only required to be fire proof, the clerk ceased to lock it, and in consequence the combination has been lost for several years. Last Thursday some one got to meddling with the lock and succeeded in locking the safe and it could not be opened. Every one in town who had ever had anything to do with the safe was called in, but it would not yield. Monday county clerk Neeves telegraphed to Omaha for an expert, who came up yesterday and opened it as easily as if it had not been locked. As this is the third time the lock has been at the expense of having a man from Omaha to open this safe Mr. Neeves had the lock fixed so it works well, and the combination will be placed where it will not be lost by future clerks.—Ogallala Reflector.

George Mason came near being torn to pieces by gray wolves while over in the timber. He has been in the habit of

taking blankets with him to the timber and if he found he would not have time to get home without a late drive he would remain in the timber until morning, camping down by his wagon. On this particular night he was belated, so rolled up in his blankets to wait for day. He did not know how long he had slept, but was awakened by the rustling of the grass. A glance revealed two big wolves in the act of springing upon him. With a bound he gained his feet dashing his blanket full in the face of the wolves. The act for a moment disconcerted the beasts, but they quickly recovered themselves, and with snarls and growls sprang at him. Swinging his blankets furiously about him he kept them at bay until he gained his wagon and got hold of his ax. The gleam of the bright blade must have scared them, for they sprang beyond his reach, but continued to snap their teeth and snarl furiously and followed him till he was out of the canyon.—Minuteman.

At a little game of draw poker at Centerville, Ore., recently, in which three Indians took part, Poker Jim, a noble chief, was accused of concealing an ace in his sleeve. He resented the insinuation and stabbed his two companions fatally.

Capt. McKenzie, the famous chess player, was pitted against thirteen of the best chess experts in Boston one night last week. Thirteen was an unlucky number for the Bostonians, for they lost eight games and won but three, while two were drawn.

The society of physicians of Vienna was in high feather when the announcement was made that Dr. Costa-Alvarenga had bequeathed it a legacy of 3,500,000 Portuguese reis. The joy was much modified when it was explained that the money value of all the millions was about \$4,800.

Dr. Godfrey dissected the carcass of the elephant Alice, burned in Sunday's fire at Barnum's winter headquarters. In the stomach was found over 800 pennies, part of a pocket knife, four cane ferules, a piece of lead pipe and some pebbles.

Col. Nicholas Smith, who married Ida Greeley, daughter of Horace Greeley, since his wife's death has become a strolling vagabond. He has recently been swindling people in Pittsburgh, and is now hiding a fugitive from justice in California.

James E. Hamilton, a mail carrier on the Southern Florida coast, was killed by sharks as he was rowing across Hillsboro inlet the other day. Several man eaters attacked his boat, it is reported, pulled the oars from his hands, bit big pieces from the gunwale, and finally got at and devoured him.

Interview with Robert Bonner in New York Tribune: "Yes I believe in advertising, and have always acted up to my belief. The first time the New York Herald printed sixteen pages was when I gave them an eight page advertisement at regular rates. I once paid the Tribune \$3,000 for an advertisement, and I traced 4,000 letters to it."

The partnership existing between the democratic party and the solid south will be likely to continue until after another presidential election. But slowly and surely the power of the old party is being broken. Prosperity in the south, brought about by the operation of the protective principle, is working a revolution in political sentiment.

There is to be an earnest effort made in the coming congress to open a portion of the Indian Territory to settlement, and to legalize public entry upon the vast tract of public land known as "No Man's Land." One of the propositions is to divide the Indian Territory by a North and south line and to throw the western half open to settlement, retaining the eastern half for the Indians. Another plan is to make these public lands called "No Man's Land" a territory under the name of Cimarron.

The Omaha World says: The people of Tucson, A. T., by a public subscription, buy 8,000 copies of their local paper every month for the purpose of sending it abroad, and in addition pay \$300 a month for the expense attending "write ups" of their city. Lamar, Col., pays \$2,000 for a pamphlet and \$1,500 for a write up in the local press. The Monitor, Fort Scott Kansas is paid \$7,000 for talk-up the advantages of that city. Hutchinson, Kansas, claims to pay the News \$10,000 for running a morning paper, and Newton does better by subscribing \$15,000 to have the Republican boom the place.

A letter addressed to "Santa Claus" was received by Postmaster Judd yesterday. The letter was postmarked Pine Bluffs, Wyo., and was written by a little girl who says she is six years old and that her name is Little Hilda Erestrom. The letter states that the writer, with her two brothers and sisters, live on the prairie in Wyoming, and they are so poor they haven't money to buy anything; neither is there any Santa Claus out there, and the little lady wants to know if Mr. Judd won't enact the role of a Santa Claus for their benefit this time only.—Chicago Tribune.

Francis Sadi-Carnot, the newly elected president of the French republic, was born in Limoges, August 11, 1837. He entered the polytechnic school in 1857 and afterward the government school of bridges and highways. He was graduated in 1863 at the top of his class, and after hav-

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ing been for some time secretary to the council of the school, was made a civil engineer. He was elected representative of the school to the national assembly February 8, 1871. He voted for all measures tending to establish the republic definitely and to adopt the entire constitution. He was in Ferry's cabinet and retired with the other members when that cabinet was dissolved in November, 1881. He was re-elected from the department of cote d'ondor on the republican ticket October 4, 1886, and took the portfolio of finance in M. De Freycinet's cabinet on January 7, 1888. M. Sadi-Carnot is most famous for his special knowledge of the affairs of the public works. He has translated several of the forms of John Stuart Mills.

An amusing incident illustrative of absent mindedness is narrated of the last session of the German reichstag. Herr Wichmann was calling the roll of members, when, upon reading out his own name, he naturally received no response. He called the name the second time, in a louder tone, and finally roared out like a healthy lunged bull. But at this juncture the laughter of his colleagues showed there must be something wrong, and soon realizing the ludicrous situation, he joined in the hilarity and marked himself present.—The Argonaut.

Champagne is not stored in the London dock vaults, but on the upper floors of the dock warehouses. The Russians, who used to rival the United States in champagne drinking, are fast giving up that wine and betaking themselves to port. There were not more than 500,000 bottles of champagne taken to Russia last year. The English cannot understand the taste of Americans for new champagne. The impression appears to prevail in the United States that champagne deteriorates after it is three or four years old, and it is said this impression, for reasons of their own, has been fostered by the trade in that country. The English and French laugh at this. They do not touch champagne until it is at least seven or eight years old, and a large dealer, who was looking at some of his stock in the warehouse, said he had champagne of the vintage of 1863, which was much sought after.—St. Louis Republic.

Another one of those old time-typos lingered down town one morning among convivial spirits long after the "jig" was up, and when he finally got started westward—it seems to me that all the printers in town live on the west side—it was broad daylight, and the east bound cars were crowded with people who hadn't the faintest idea of what it was to work all night. He lived on Madison street, and when he reached his home he tried for several minutes to adjust his key to the keyhole, but couldn't strike the combination. Every half minute a car loaded with people passed by and everybody laughed at him. Then a cunning idea struck him. He went calmly down in his pocket, got a match lighted it, held it up to the keyhole, inserted the key, unlocked the door and stalked dignifiedly in, while an irrepressible shout went up from a car that was passing. Daylight might be good enough for some, but he needed a little extra illumination. He was used to artificial light.—Chicago Mail.

Chicago Dry Goods Reporter, Dec. 3.—Careful investigation among the leading commercial and industrial interests discloses that, while the general volume of trade the past month failed to show as heavy gains over November, 1886, as was expected by the September and October statements, the increase was fairly satisfactory in every respect. The bank clearings were \$275,849,833, against \$281,074,730 for the corresponding month of 1886, and \$223,931,574 same time in 1887. The total clearings for eleven months aggregated \$3,693,792,957, against \$2,473,688,182 the corresponding time in 1886, showing an increase of \$200,044,774. These gains may be regarded as more closely representing the actual condition of legitimate business during the current end last year; because of the comparatively low average of prices for nearly all lines of produce and miscellaneous merchandise the present year, and the unusually small speculative trading in grain and provisions, as considered with 1886. Close estimates of the value of goods distributed by the jobbing trade justify the statement that the eleven months' sales have been equal to the totals for the entire year 1886. Some give even more favorable estimate. The activity with the manufacturing establishments has been even greater. In scarcely any line of industry has there been a slackness of orders. Profits are also represented as better. Goods have been paid for with as much promptness as in recent years, and stocks of nearly every description are low beyond precedent. The only class of dry goods that have not met an entirely satisfactory sale were heavy woolsens, which, owing to a combination of adverse circumstances, have been slow, but even they have held their own, while all other descriptions show a very large increased distribution.

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